U.S NATONAL STAGE WORKSHEET (A) (EO) -10/543131 INTERNATIONAL APPL. U52604/0/03/8 APPLICATION FILED BY: 20 MOS., OR 30 MOS., SCREENED BY PCT International Division INTERNATIONAL APPLICATION PAPERS IN THE APPLICATION FILE: International application 409 annexes to IPER Article 19 amendments PCT/ISA/210 (Search report) Priority Document(s) No. Search report References Request Form PCT/RO/101 Other Papers filed PCT/IB/302 PUBLICATION NO. WO 2001, 09635 PCT/IB/304 PCT/IB/306 PUBLICATION DATE 97 00 204 PCT/IB/308 PUBLICATION LANG., EN PCT/IB/331 OTHER PCT/IB/ NOT PUBLISHED PCT/IPEA/409 also 416 U.S. only \_\_\_\_ Requested RECEIVED FROM THE APPLICANT: (other than checked above) National application basic fee paid Preliminary Amendment(s) filed Express Processing Requested second submission Translation of the International Application Information Disclosure Statement Used the IB copy of the IA second submission Assignment Description, Claims 8 Forward to Assignment Branch Drawings 5 Substitute Specification Foreign Language in drawing Small Entity Statement Article 19 Amendments Oath/Declaration (date submitted Amendment used in application Not executed Article 34 Amendment Amendment used in application / Executed Power of Attorney DNA Change of Address 1194 transaction done 4/05 35 USC Receipt of Request (PTO - 1399 Transmittal Letter) Date Acceptable oath/declaration received 102(e) Date Date complete 35 USC 371 requirements met DATE NOTICE COMPLETED DO/EO 903 Notice of Acceptance Notice of Missing Requirements DO/EO 905 Notice of A defective oath or declaration DO/EO 917 Notice of defective response DO/EO 916 Notice of defective translation DO/EO 913 Notification of Abandonment

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